

Today Reds Face Final Test in
Batting Before Chicago Crowd.

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Than Gleason For Next Games

REDS FACING FINAL TEST IN CHICAGO

By LOUIS A. DOUGHER.

Today, playing at Comiskey Park on the South Side of old Chi, the Cincinnati Reds will meet their final test in this world's series of 1919. They have been tested twice already. First, they have found themselves playing in a world's series. Second, they have tackled and overthrown Eddie Cicotte, the American League's pitching ace. If the Reds can weather the storm today in Chicago, it would not be surprising to see the National League triumph in six games or even five straight.

Until the Boston Braves set a record by upsetting the Mackmen in four straight games in 1914, a writer even hazarding such a guess would have been declared insane. Today, however, he is allowed to live, for the fans well know that this feat has been done.

As this writer remarked a couple of days ago, he chose the Reds to win the 1919 world's title largely because of the prospect of the same psychological atmosphere as that surrounding the Boston Braves' victory five years ago. The White Sox, like the 1914 Mackmen, were heavy favorites. The Reds, like the Braves, were "just a bunch of cast-offs."

Reds Have Momentum.
The Reds have shown all the momentum displayed by Stallings' club five years ago. They have maintained a steady pace in their league races in the face of jarring. They have leaped to the front in this final series when many shrewd judges of baseball have laughed at their pretensions. Today they face the difficult task of opening a three-game series at Comiskey Park, surrounded by thousands of hostile fans. If they make good now, there will be no doubt anywhere as to their gameness or ability.

With his present lead, Pat Moran can now make use of his superior pitching strength. Sallee, a veteran, needs a rest and warm weather, but Walter Reuther is young, strong as a bull, and can repeat today or tomorrow. It is unlikely that he will be called upon before tomorrow.

Kid Gleason has seen his ace of aces, Cicotte, beaten and broken. He has seen his wizard southpaw, Claude Williams, run second. He is now compelled to bring back Cicotte or try his second string pitchers, Dick Kerr or Bill James. And against the White Sox Pat Moran can send Red Eiler, his hit-or-run twirler, or Ray Fisher,

Too Good for Mary

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By Tad



NEWEST GOLF SENSATION ESCAPED UNKNOWN HERE

By BRYAN MORSE.

Few golf devotees who watched play in the qualifying professional tournament over the Columbia Country Club last month, when Freddy McLeod won over Emmett York, got more than a glimpse of J. Douglas Edgar, of Atlanta. Few realized that Edgar was a potential world's record holder and the latest of golfing sensations in this country.

Freddy McLeod, who knows all of the golfers in the country, broke the news to the gallery that Edgar was the Atlanta professional and the French champion. That didn't mean much to the casuals who lined the first tee.

In 1914 when the last French tournament was held Edgar had the distinction of leading the field for the honors. He outdistanced no less a golfing personage than Harry Vardon, great British pro, by eight strokes. Edgar has been in this country about six months. He came to Washington last month and entered the professional tournament held at Columbia Country Club.

McLeod Won Event.
McLeod won the event over Emmett French, of Old York road, with a card of 141. French was 142, while J. Douglas Edgar was third. Edgar had a fair round in the morning and another mediocre round in the afternoon for a total of 150.

Interest centered around the McLeod-French match, and when the final counting was done it was found that Edgar had just nosed out Wilfred Reid, of Wilmington, and Harry Hamilton.

In the Western open Edgar failed to get in the first ten, being outdistanced by McLeod, Reid, and Hampton, who played against him here. In the last week, however, Edgar has jumped right into the limelight by defeating Jim Barnes and hanging up a world's golfing record at Hamilton, Ontario, in his win of the Canadian open championship.

Started Out Well.
Edgar started with a round of 72, then clocked off a 71. On the third round Edgar turned in a card of 69 and bettered this with a 68 on the fourth round. He defeated Jim Barnes by 16 strokes in negotiating the course over 72 holes in 278. Barnes had equaled the world's record of 285 in the week before in the Western open title hunt.

The Atlanta professional has been here since spring. He failed in the national open at Brae Burn and was nothing to boast of in the Western open at Chicago. But at Hamilton he startled the world.

On Sept. 15 at the Engineers' Club, on Long Island, Edgar will go up with McLeod and French as having qualified here. The real test will come there when thirty-two selected golfers will play off for the Wanamaker trophy. Edgar looks like a good bet.

GAILLAUDET WORKS OUT.
Gailaudet College players will line up against Eastern High School today for a short scrimmage. Coach Hughes will use his second-string material.

PRACTICE CALLED OFF.
Rex A. C. football men have called off today's practice session, but will report at 1 p. m. Sunday, at Union Park.

FORT MYER TO PLAY.
Fort Myer soldiers come to town Sunday afternoon to meet the Rex Athletic Club eleven at Union Park.

BREWSTER NOT BACK.
"Unts" Brewster, crack athlete at Maryland State two years ago, was expected to return, but says he will not go back to college.

MAXAM GOES BACK.
Bob Maxam, Penn's crack quarterback of two years ago, is back at Penn.

MYERS IS LEADER.
Brayton Myers, one of Eastern's all-around athletes, is captain of the eleven this fall.

STATE AT SWARTHMORE.
Maryland State College players leave Newark, Del., for Philadelphia today. Yesterday they practiced against Bert Shipley's Delaware College eleven prior to playing Swarthmore tomorrow.

HALF MINUTE FOR THIS RING TITLE

"Eddie" Egan, light-heavyweight champion of the A. E. F., now at Yale, looks back with mirth at his experience in the intercollegiate boxing finals. In the space of a few days he was to have met three men: Negri, the Italian; the Belgian champion, and Thomas, the Frenchman, in the order named.

Wading into Negri in a Dempseyan fashion, Egan scored the Italian on his second blow, and the referee could have counted a hundred before the fighter recovered. The knockout came after thirty seconds of fighting, and just naturally ruined the morale of the Belgian, who was second on the list. He forfeited, having watched the disposal of Negri. Thomas, who would probably have given Egan a good scrap, was forced to default because of a broken bone in his hand.

So Egan won the title in half a minute, and he has to smile as he thinks of traveling 3,000 miles for thirty seconds' fighting.

Disciplined by a course in boxing he acquired the fine alertness of certain co-ordination. He was a marvel for speed. An amateur middleweight champion of the Rocky Mountain States was his earliest laurel, when he was sixteen years old. Later he added to this record the national amateur heavyweight title by whipping a New York policeman at a Boston tournament—and he was not yet twenty.

The American declaration of war found him engaged in physical work in Denver as a member of the Y. M. C. A. staff. He was called into service, and with his usual aggressiveness became an A. I. soldier.

He has resumed his studies and is now on the physical staff of the New Haven Y. M. C. A.

MAXWELL IS BUSY GUY ON GRIDIRON

Robert W. "Tiny" Maxwell is going to be one busy guy on the gridiron this season, judging from his list of officiating assignments.

"Tiny," who ruins all scales up around 225 pounds, is to referee the Yale-Princeton contest at New Haven this year. He will also officiate at the Pittsburgh-West Virginia, Rutgers-Syracuse, Penn-Cornell, Pitt-Georgia Tech, Penn-Penn State, Pitt-Syracuse, and Lehigh-Lafayette contests.

Washington football fans remember him as the large person who refereed the Georgetown-W. and J. game at the Hilltop a few years back. Despite his size, "Tiny" can travel "on high." At Swarthmore, he was a wonderful guard and later he played professional football in Massillon, Ohio.

CHAMPION GOLFER PICKED FOR TITLE

SHAWNEE-ON-DELAWARE. Oct. 3.—Miss Alex Sterling, present woman's golf champion, is picked to lead titular honors again. The young Atlanta player is easily the class of the field which has narrowed down to the semi-final round.

Today Miss Sterling plays Mrs. Clarence Vanderbeck, of Philadelphia. Miss Irene Peacock is playing Mrs. W. A. Gavin. Miss Sterling is picked to defeat Mrs. Vanderbeck while Mrs. Gavin is expected to defeat Miss Peacock.

NEALE WILL COACH.
As soon as he completes his world's series duties, "Greasy" Neale, the Reds' hurler, will begin coaching the Norwood Independents, a Cincinnati professional football team. Neale starred at end for West Virginia Wesleyan before going to the big league.

WILLIAMS PLAYS WELL.
Harry Williams, son of the Minnesota coach, is playing good football at center on the Yale second eleven.

Eighteen Shutouts Down In the Records

Out of a total of seventy-six world's series games played between National and American League clubs, under the Brush rules restricting the series to seven games, pitchers in the fall classic have hurled eighteen shutout games, as follows:

- 1905—Mathewson—New York, 3; Philadelphia, 0.
- Bender—Philadelphia, 3; New York, 0.
- Mathewson—New York, 9; Philadelphia, 0.
- McGinnity—New York, 1; Philadelphia, 0.
- Mathewson—New York, 2; Philadelphia, 0.
- 1906—Walsh—White Sox, 3; Cubs, 0.
- Brown—Cubs, 1; White Sox, 0.
- 1907—Brown—Chicago, 2; Detroit, 0.
- 1908—Brown—Chicago, 3; Detroit, 0.
- Overall—Chicago, 2; Detroit, 0.
- 1900—Mullin—Detroit, 5; Pittsburgh, 0.
- Adams—Pittsburgh, 8; Detroit, 0.
- 19—Mathewson—New York, 3; Philadelphia, 0.
- 1914—James—Boston, 1; Philadelphia, 0.
- 1917—Benton—New York, 2; White Sox, 0.
- Schupp—New York, 5; White Sox, 0.
- 1918—Buth—Boston, 1; Cubs, 0.
- Vaughn—Cubs, 3; Boston, 0.

BOTH COASTS HAVE HEROES TO CHEER

By TOM SWOPE.

CHICAGO, Oct. 3.—Oakland City, Ind., and New Britain, Conn., are in the spotlight today. Two of their sons jumped into prominence as Cincinnati's heroes of yesterday's world series battle.

Oakland City is the home of Eddie Roush, who followed up his first day's world series, fielding stunts with another crop of super-plays at the expense of the White Sox and clouted in the first run of the game.

New Britain is the home of "Laruping Larry" Kopf, the turn-around hitter, who plays short for the Reds and who clouted yesterday's game with a triple that scored two runs. He did some fancy fielding also. His work in the middle of a double play that stopped the Chicago bid for a rally in the ninth was especially sweet.

These two players divided the spotlight of yesterday's triumph. And to add to their glory they have the honor of both having been turned down as N. G. by American League clubs. They were not good enough to play in that circuit, but they, with the aid of their teammates, were good enough to down the Johnson league's best team.

Roush has put in two wonderful days in the field in the big series. He is one of the roving centerfielders that ever sowed. And whisper it gently, it was the White Sox that pronounced him too slow for fast company when he was in the clubhouse of the American League. He's one chicken that has come home to roost, even if he doesn't do anything thing in the series.

AS FIRST ONE GOES SO SERIES RESULTS

CINCINNATI, Oct. 3.—Probably it never occurred to the layman fan but it's possible that the first game goes, so the world's series results. At least that has been the sum and substance of balldom's blue ribbon events of the past. You can run through the figures from the start of modern world's series and you'll find this to be the rule rather than the exception.

In 1905 the New York Giants won the first game from the Philadelphia Athletics and the series. In 1906 the Chicago White Sox won the opening game and the series from the Chicago Cubs. In 1907 the Cubs and Detroit Tigers played a tie game in the curtain raiser, but the Cubs won the first decision game and the honors.

The Cubs repeated the experience of the Tigers in 1908, while in 1909 the Pittsburgh Pirates beat the Tigers. In 1910 it was the Athletics' turn to humble the Cubs in the first game and series. In 1912 the Boston Red Sox beat the Giants, while in 1913 the Boston Braves beat the Athletics, all three in the first game and the series.

In 1915 it was the Red Sox turn to make this rule stand up against the Brooklyn Dodgers. In 1917 the White Sox made good against the Giants and last season the Red Sox turned the trick against the Cubs.

Of course, there are exceptions to all rules and Pittsburgh in 1907 won the first game from the Red Sox, but lost the series. In 1911 the Giants beat the Athletics in the first mix-up, but lost the series, while in 1915 the Phillies beat the Red Sox in the first game but lost the big prize.

Thus in twelve out of fifteen modern world's series, the team that won the first game copied the greatest honors in baseball.

MASSILLON PROS PLAY N. Y. TEAM

NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—The crack Massillon, Ohio, Tigers, challengers of Jim Thorpe's famous Canton Bulldogs for the championship of the professional gridiron title, have been scheduled by Charlie Brickley as the first opponents of his newly organized New York Giants at the Polo Grounds on Sunday, October 12. The Massillon team, managed by Cobal, Notre Dame star, has a host of former college gridiron performers and is sure to give Brickley's eleven a tough battle.

Included in the Massillon line-up are such players as Peck, former all-American center, as a member of the Pittsburgh Panthers; Sutherland and Ste, also of Glenn Warner's great team of two years ago, who will play the guard positions; Henry, Washington and Jefferson, star tackle picked for the all-American team; Nash, of Rutgers, and Fitzgerald, of Notre Dame.

OPENS NEW ALLEYS.
More up-to-date bowling alleys, bringing the total up to thirty-eight, are to be opened at the Recreation to night, the first games starting at 6 o'clock. Manager Veath says the demand for high class alleys is terrific, and the outlook is for the busiest season in the history of Washington.

WILLER HUGGINS SIGNS.
NEW YORK, Oct. 3.—Miller Huggins has signed a contract to manage the New York American League Club again this year. It was announced today.

MAY BUY PHILLIES.
Joe Lannin, former owner of the Boston Red Sox, may buy the Philadelphia National League Club if he can get it at his price.

SCHAUER HITS .300.
Rube Schauer, due for a trial with the Griffins next spring, hit for .300 as a member of the Minneapolis Millers this season.

JIM SCOTT SIGNS.
"Death Valley" Jim Scott, former star with the White Sox, has signed to pitch for San Francisco in 1920.

HERE'S THE DOPE

The second game of the world's series played at Redland Park, Cincinnati, yesterday. Score—Cincinnati (National League), 4; Chicago (American League), 2. Standing now reads:

Cincinnati..... W. L. Pct.
Chicago..... 2 0 1.000
First game played in Cincinnati on Wednesday. Score—Cincinnati, 9; Chicago, 1.

Total paid attendance yesterday, 29,000. Total receipts, not including the war tax, \$97,190, divided as follows:

Players..... \$52,453.44
Clubs..... 34,988.99
National Commission, 7,713.89
Official paid attendance for two games, 63,201. Total receipts, \$190,914, divided as follows:

Players..... \$105,703.56
Clubs..... 71,490.94
National Commission..... 19,510.40

REDS' SECOND WIN

Chicago, AB. R. H. O. A. E.
J. Collins, 2b..... 4 0 0 2 0 0
E. Collins, 2b..... 3 0 0 2 3 0
Weaver, 3b..... 4 0 0 2 3 0
Jackson, 1b..... 4 0 0 2 3 0
Felsch, cf..... 2 0 0 5 1 0
Gandil, 1b..... 4 0 1 7 0 0
Rieberg, ss..... 4 1 2 2 1 0
Schalk, c..... 3 0 0 2 3 0
Williams, p..... 3 0 1 0 2 0
McMullin..... 1 0 0 0 0 0

Totals..... 33 2 10 24 10 1

Cincinnati, AB. R. H. O. A. E.
Rath, 2b..... 3 1 0 1 0 0
Daubert, 1b..... 3 0 0 12 2 1
Groh, 3b..... 2 1 0 0 1 0
Roush, cf..... 2 1 1 5 0 0
Duncan, 1b..... 1 0 0 0 0 0
Kopf, ss..... 3 0 1 3 5 0
Neale, rf..... 3 0 1 1 0 1
Hariden, c..... 3 0 1 3 0 0
Sallee, p..... 3 0 1 3 0 0

Totals..... 25 4 4 27 12 2

Chicago..... 0 0 0 0 2 0-2
Cincinnati..... 0 0 0 3 0 1-4

*Batted for Williams in ninth.

Struck out—By Sallee, 2; Williams, 1. Base on balls—Off Sallee, 3; off Williams, 2. Two-base hits—Jackson, Weaver. Three-base hit—Kopf. Double plays—Kopf to Daubert; E. Collins to Gandil; Felsch, E. Collins to Daubert. Sacrifices—Felsch (2); Daubert. Durkin. Stolen base—Gandil. Balk—Sallee, 1. Umpires—Evanse behind the bat; Quigley at first; Nallin at second, and Rigler at third.

WOMEN GOLFERS IN STAR CUP MATCHES

Play in the last round for the Star cup is under way today at the Washington Golf and Country Club. Fourteen players are striving for the low medal score over eighteen holes, in the thirty-six holes of medal play.

Miss Louise Pierce, of the home club, led the field at the start today. Her score for eighteen holes yesterday was 97, and with a 24 handicap gave her 73. Mrs. J. R. De Farges, of Hancock, was second with a card of 103 and a handicap of 24, which gave her 79.

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WHITE SOX STARS PROVING DEUCES

By BOSS TENNEY.

CHICAGO, Oct. 3.—It is necessary again today to write about Chicago "goats" instead of heroes. The White Sox big two is now a small deuce.

Cicotte and Williams today are sharing the chief goatship on the Chicago team as the rival claims of Pat Moran and Kid Gleason open their three-day world series session in the White Sox backyard, with the dazed Sox hoping the home sweet home will prove a sweet song after the surprising battering handed the chief pitching aces down in Cincy.

For never were two worse piteous games put on display in any world series than these same two acts three away from the Gleason crew in Redland. The blame lies right at the slab.

In the opener it was an awful trimming that "Cy" caught. The second day the Reds changed the spelling of Claude Williams' front moniker to "Clawed."

Cicotte had nothing but a prayer and Williams just naturally banded over the second game by presenting the Reds with six bases on balls, four of which they cashed in. It was an awful exhibition of pitching for Chicago both days.

Now Kid Gleason must bank his hopes on his second string pair, Lefty Kerr and Bill James. For his two big acts are in the discard.

SCHOOLS EXPECTED TO RESUME GAMES

High school football teams as well as representative teams in all other sports are expected to get together immediately. This means that the high school football schedule, a feature of athletics here for years, will be played this year as usual.

Principals and faculty athletic advisers are in receipt today of a proposed Washington High School Athletic League, which, with some changes, is expected to be ratified by all schools for the continuance of all forms of athletics.

An interpretation of the present eligibility rules is to be asked along with the ratification of the proposed league. The athletic situation has cleared to such an extent in the past few days that no hitch is expected in clearing up difficulties that confronted the schools recently.

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